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Congregational Church Gives Unanimous Call To Its Pastorate

An important meeting of the members of the local Congregational church was held Monday evening in the vestry of the church to hear a report of the special committee, to whom the task of suggesting a candidate for the pastorate was assigned. The committee presented the name of Edward C. Dahl, now a student at the Yale Divinity school, who was the preacher in the church on Sunday, April 13. Mr. Dahl will graduate in June and the committee were unanimous in offering him as a candidate. After deliberate consideration, the members of the church present voted unanimously to invite him to assume the pastorate of the church, to begin in August, at a salary of \$2,000 per year, and a call was extended to him. It is hoped that he will accept, and it is expected that he will preach in the church several times, before he actually assumes his task. When and if, his acceptance has been received, the Press hopes to be able to print a brief biography of his life and career.

Fortnightly Brings Lecturer On France

On Saturday evening, May 17, in the town hall, the ways and means committee of the Fortnightly, have arranged for a lecture on "Life in Invaded France" by Douglas Schneider, now of Boston.

Mr. Schneider, an American citizen, lived in France from 1914 to 1940. After working with the American Red Cross in liaison with the French military authorities in 1918 and 1919, he was in business in France until 1934. He then became associated with a French private boys' school in Paris where he was named co-headmaster in 1938. When the Germans took over Paris, June 14, 1940, Mr. Schneider was in the school and it was he who had to receive the German officers and to hand the school over to them. He acted as interpreter between the German military and French civilian authorities during the summer of 1940. He was in Paris until November 1940 under the German rule and reached the country in December, via Spain and Portugal.

William B. Finch Dies

At his home on the Winchester road, William Edgar Finch, for nearly 30 years, a resident of this town, died last Friday morning, after an illness of three months, at the age of 80 years. He was born in New Brunswick, N. J., Dec. 1, 1860 and was the son of James and Sarah J. (Fern) Finch. He married Addie Louise Bates of Webster, Aug. 11, 1886 and they made their home in Southington, Ct., where Mr. Finch was employed with one of the large lock manufacturing concerns. In 1913 until his retirement in July 1932, Mr. Finch was employed by the Seminary as night watchman. He was a member of Friendship Lodge of Masons of Southington. Of him it could be said, that he was a good neighbor of fine character, and devoted to the best interests of the community in which he lived. Surviving are two sons, Cortland and Donald B. Finch, and four grandchildren, all of this town; a nephew, Almon J. Bates of Lonsdale, R. I., and a cousin Mrs. Ernest Long of New Brunswick, N. J. The funeral services were held at Kidder's funeral parlor on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Rev. William W. Coe officiating, and attended by his relatives and many friends. A quartet consisting of Irving J. Lawrence, Walter H. Waite, Mrs. William Shattuck and Mrs. M. F. Lopes sang selections. The burial was on Monday in the cemetery at Pittsfield.

Waxed Enthusiastic Over Symphony Concert Rendition Was Excellent

Before a large audience in the Auditorium on the Seminary campus, last Saturday evening, the Pioneer Valley Symphony, under the direction of Harold Alexander Leslie, rendered in a most efficient



and masterly manner, a program of the works of Mendelssohn, Haydn, Humperdinck and Dvorak, as previously published in these columns. The large audience listened attentively and expressed its appreciation in loud applause at the close of each part. Seventy members of the orchestra, coming from many places, from various walks in life, proved that they were masters too and handled well their instruments as real lovers of music and true interpreters. Mr. Leslie was recalled to the stand several times and also asked the members of the orchestra to arise in a demonstration. Applause continued at the close of the program, so that as an encore, the orchestra played a little German folk symphony, entitled "I Love Little Pussy" written by Dr. Knowlton D. Stone, one of the directors of the Symphony association. The concert was given under the sponsorship of the Northfield schools and attracted many music lovers from Greenfield, Brattleboro and Keene. While the Seminary students were in attendance, the young men from Mt. Hermon were missing owing to an epidemic of measles "on the Hill." R. Stanley Reid of Greenfield, president of Pioneer Valley Symphony association with Mrs. Reid was present in the audience and expressed himself to many friends as highly pleased with the fifth and last concert in Northfield and the generous patronage given. The entire program of the evening was broadcast over WHAI through the courtesy of John W. Haigis. After the concert an impromptu reception and greeting was given to Mr. Leslie, as players took their farewell in this final program.

The "Githerin" Meeting

Everybody will be welcome to attend the old fashioned "Githerin" meeting in the town hall next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. A large local committee sponsors this religious service and the speaker will be Rev. Fred MacArthur of Ludlow, Vt. There will be a large chorus of young people to lead in the singing and Rev. B. F. White of the South Vernon church will assist and Mrs. M. F. Lopez will sing solos. There will be selections of brass instruments, in duet and trios. Persons who need transportation should phone Gordon Buffum. Remember it's a service of song and praise, let's fill the town hall.

The Garden Club

The Garden club will meet next Monday evening at 7:45 o'clock at Alexander hall when Howard LaMorder of Putney, Vt., will speak on shrubs and perennials. A question period will follow. Several important business matters will come before the meeting and it is expected that some announcements may be forthcoming regarding the flower show.

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Where center lines were solid, they now will be broken. On curves and hills a solid line will be painted to one side of the broken center line, and motorists may pass only when the broken line is on their right side of the solid marker.

At the top of hills, and in the center of curves where there is less than 300 foot visibility from either direction, two solid lines come together to indicate it is unsafe to pass from either direction.

The plan is one that will make for safety, and those motorists who ignore the rules will get theirs. The state police will see that you conform to the regulations of the road when out driving.

Rev. Mr. Carne Leaves To Begin Pastorate

Rev. and Mrs. W. Stanley Carne left Northfield last weekend for Elizabethtown, N. Y., where on Sunday last he began a pastorate with the Congregational church there. His household goods



were shipped last Friday by truck and they will occupy the parsonage of the church there. Mr. Carne preached at the service on Sunday and the congregation will tender a reception to both Mr. and Mrs. Carne this week. Of the children, Homer and his wife are located in Boston, Miss Harlene Carne, who graduated from Wilson college, is a teacher at the Clark school at Northampton, and Lloyd and Margaret are students at Wheaton college in Wheaton, Ill. The interest of many friends will follow the Carne's in their new field of endeavor.

South Vernon Church

A session of the Superior court will be held at the court house in Greenfield with Justice James C. Donnelly of Worcester presiding. There are a number of important cases to be tried and the court will convene on Monday, May 12 with the criminal business to be taken up on May 20. A May session of the court is an innovation here, and is the result of a revision of schedules requested by the Franklin Bar association. The May session will take the place of the one formerly held in the month of July.

SOUTH VERNON CHURCH

Morning worship at 10:30, followed by observance of communion. Mr. White will speak on "Perpetual Recollections." Sunday school at 11:45; Loyal Workers at 6:30, leader, Ernest W. Dunklee. Mr. White will speak at 7:30 on "The Need for Present Action."

The Senior Mission society will have a social fellowship at the parsonage next Wednesday at 3.

The weekly prayer meeting will be held at the Vernon Home at 7 p. m. Thursday.

There will be a complete coverage of South Vernon news in next week's issue of the Press.

Hermine's Midgets who appeared at the recent New York World's Fair and who are now touring the country will make a personal appearance at the Victoria Theatre Friday and Saturday afternoon and evening. This company consists of 12 midget entertainers who represent every European country, they are extremely versatile and offer entertainment that is sure to please young and old.

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Jim Dandy Fruit Cocktail	can 11½c
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Phillips Pork and Beans	3 No. 2½ cans 25c
Growers Bread and Pastry Flour	5-lb bag 19c
Luckies Popped Wheat or Rice	pkg 4c
Del Monte Sardines	16-oz can 9c
Van Camps Evaporated Milk	4 tall cans 27c
Schuler Potato Sticks	3 tall cans 20c
Fig Bars, Fresh Baked	2 lbs 15c
B. & M. Fancy G. B. Corn	No. 2 can 10c
Growers Table Salt	3 1½-lb boxes 10c
Soda Crackers, Fresh Baked	2-lb box 14c
Blue Wrapped Spaghetti, Macaroni and Elbows	1-lb pkg 5c
Pure Egg Noodles	1-lb bag 10c
Blue Label Sweet Peas	2 No. 2 cans 25c
Wilsons Corned Beef	1-lb tin 16½c
Meaty Santa Clara Prunes	3-lb cello bag 14c
Pine Cone Tomato Catsup	3 14-oz bot. 25c
Peanut Butter Kisses	1 lb 10c
Chocolate Candy (assorted)	1 lb 15c
Lovering Floating Soap	3 bars 9c
Lighthouse Cleanser	can 3c
Oh Kay Dog Food	6 tall cans 25c

TOWN TOPICS

Mrs. G. M. Ball has returned to her cottage "End o' the Rainbow" for the summer. She spent the winter in and about New York.

A mortgage sale of property of Charles A. Parker, by Charles A. Clark, is advertised for May 17 at 10:30 o'clock on the premises on the Northfield Farms road.

Among the graduates of the Northfield schools are five college presidents: Middlebury; Wesleyan university; the Agricultural College of Allahabad; Christian Institute in India; Vellore Medical College for Women in India; and Anatolia College in Greece.

Several members of the local Brotherhood of the Congregational church attended the quarterly meeting and supper of the Men's Federation of the county, which was held at the First Baptist church in Greenfield on Monday evening.

The next meeting of the 12th lodge of instruction of the Masonic order for this district will be held on Tuesday, May 27 at the Masonic hall on Parker Ave. with Harmony Lodge as host. The speaker will be William A. Barr, whose talk will be on "Early Masonry."

Mrs. William A. White on Birnam road is doing some work on aprons and fancy work to keep busy. She would appreciate any patronage.

Many persons have sent out through the mail to friends, the cards announcing the sacred concert of the Northfield schools on Sunday, May 11. There are plenty more to be had, so get them at the Bookstore for continued mailing.

Tax Collector Charles F. Slate has been busy this week, sending out the motor vehicle excise tax bills, turned over to him by the Assessors. There are about 567 such bills to send out and they total over \$4,000.

Mrs. Arthur S. Merrill, who has spent the winter in Brookline, has returned to her home on Birnam road for the summer season.

Howard Spaulding of Winchester road, spent last week on a visit with his sister Miss Edith Spaulding at Rockville, L. I.

E. S. Slate, who formerly conducted a filling station on Main street in this town, is the guest of his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Slate.

Miss Ruth Kimball of the hostel staff attended the assembly of the Rainbow Girls which was held in Boston last week.

Mrs. Grace C. Cornell has reopened her home on the Winchester road. She reached Northfield last week Thursday after her stay in Lynn Haven, Fla. for the winter.

The many friends in town of Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Gaines of Greenfield, congratulate them on their 48th wedding anniversary. Both well known to many here have enjoyed their friendship in both a business and social way. Mr. Gaines is the dean of the businessmen of Greenfield, having been in the jewelry and optical business for 48 years. In recent years his health has been quite poor.

Archibald MacLeish, librarian of Congress, will give readings from his own works in the Chapin auditorium at Mt. Holyoke college this Friday evening at 8 o'clock and a number from here plan to attend. The public are invited and there is no admission fee!

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Frary of Highland avenue are leaving to spend the summer at their cottage in Willard Richmond, Vt. Mrs. B. F. Whittley will occupy the Frary house until May 15 when Miss Euphrasia Purrington, district nurse will move in for the summer.

The flames of the forest fire which raged on Wantaquisset mountain on the New Hampshire side, opposite Brattleboro, were plainly visible last Monday afternoon and night. The heavy dense smoke came down the river and filled the atmosphere here. Hundreds of men fought the flames until under control.

Preparations are being made to put some of our secondary roads in town in good condition in order that they may be used as detour routes when the work on the roadway through Main street is undertaken.

The pane garden of Joseph W. Field at the corner of lower Main and Maple streets, is attracting much attention from passersby, who frequently stop or return to purchase the plants.

F. Myron Dunnell is to begin the erection of a large garage in the rear of his property on Main street to house his cars and trucks.

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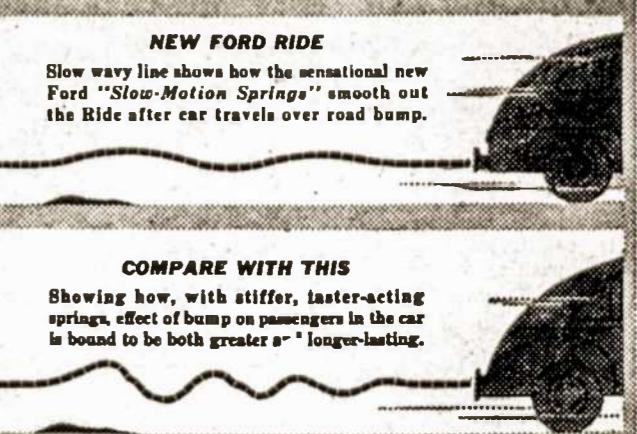
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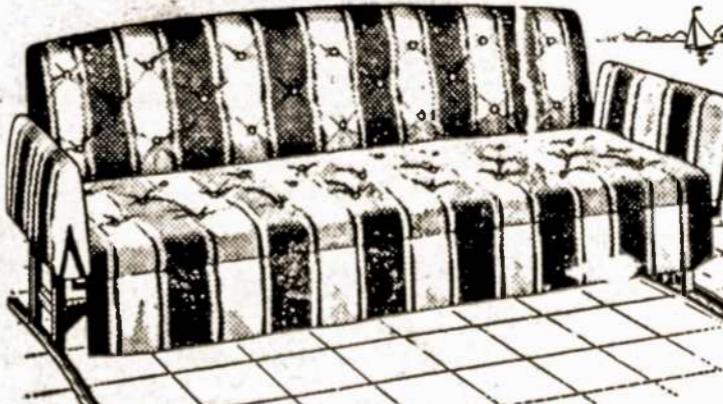
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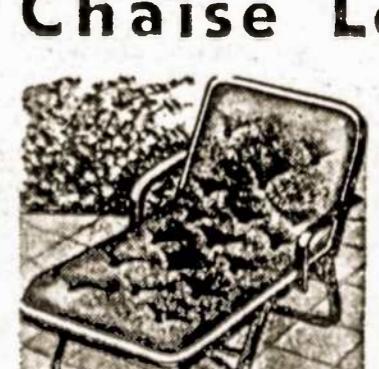
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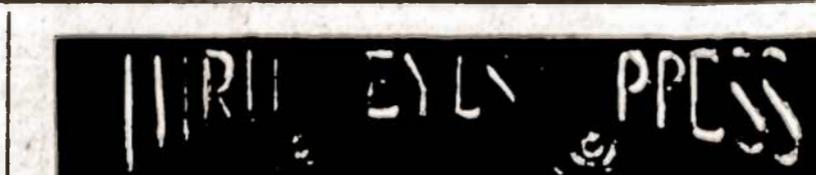
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Dairymen, please note: The Sheldegreen Farm is one of the finest farms in the state—with a herd of 80 head they are in a position to fill your needs. When in need of replacements visit here.

Picturesquely situated at Shelburne Mountain, Greenfield, the Sheldegreen Farm is KNOWN FOR MILES AROUND for its registered Golden Guernseys.

In the promotion of better dairying reliable sources for the supply of cattle is an important factor. In this respect the Sheldegreen Farm is in a position to provide whatever your need might be to make your herd a better producing and more profitable one. Farmers and dairymen throughout the Franklin county area and adjoining counties and states are indeed fortunate in having this market. An occasional check-up with William Koch, in seeing what he has to offer, either in the sale or exchange of cattle is advisable from time to time.

It is with pardonable pride that the Sheldegreen Farm points to the fact that they hold 18 records which were made by their fine herd. In being a member of the NATIONAL GUERNSEY ORGANIZATION William Koch, has the advantage of all research work for better breeding. Telephones 5088 and 5461.

In closing the writer points out that William Koch's many years' experience well places him in a position to render a ripened opinion in all matters pertaining to cattle.

Both the younger and older folks.

To all a cordial invitation is extended to stop in whether on a shopping trip, an after-theatre party, or a sight-seeing trip with the summer house guests—you will enjoy the fine food at RITA'S—a dish of delicious ice cream or a cool and refreshing drink—the service is prompt at all times.

In this our Greenfield review we are pleased to point out RITA'S to the people throughout these communities—make this wholesomely clean, inviting shop your headquarters and remember RITA'S is the authorized "Mary Oliver" agency in Greenfield for fine candies. Mail orders solicited and prompt shipment assured.

Those of our readers employed in Greenfield will find RITA'S an ideal place to have noonday lunch.

EVELYN'S BEAUTY SHOP

THE CHOICE OF SMART WOMEN

FREDERIC'S WIRELESS ONE-MINUTE WAVE

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VITAMIN "F" OIL INDIVIDUALIZED PERMANENT WAVE

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Include Shampoo, Trim and Fingerwave—No Extras

Yetter, the Florist, located at 226 Main St., in the heart of Greenfield, has been serving the people of these communities. One of the essential factors of any business is that it stands the test of time, and surely Yetter, the Florist, with a background of 33 years located at the same address, has well withstood this test.

This ever progressive business under the personal direction of Mr. Yetter is truly a landmark in the business life of Greenfield and at this time for whatever your floral needs might be write, phone, or better still, stop in for "Mother's Day" on the 11th. The greenhouses are located on the Bernardston road. Telephone: Store, Greenfield 5652; greenhouses, Bernardston 6064. Floral telegraph service is available.

In addition to being the owners and operators of the Dunklee Sand and Concrete Products Co., Messrs. John and Pete Mackin are also engaged in the fuel products and general trucking business. A dependable service plus quality fuel products are offered: Coal, coke, range and fuel oils; delivery service to your home, mercantile or farm buildings.

In the highly specialized general trucking and motor freight service the Mackin Trucking Co. are known for miles around and their trucks are seen on all roads serving merchants, manufacturers and the general public.

In this review the writer calls attention of town and county officials, manufacturers, institutional directors, building committees,

and property owners, that the Dunklee Sand and Concrete Products Co. is well prepared to submit estimates in these lines and a ready to offer first-class products and service. For your fuel problems as well as a dependable general trucking service, phone 4100 Greenfield for prompt, courteous service.

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SWEETHEART TEA HOUSE

NOW OPEN — 25th ANNIVERSARY YEAR

Sweethearts' Specialties; Chicken, Steak and Lobster Dinners; Waffles, and Maple Syrup; Pure Maple Products; Open all day until November first; Excellent facilities for Parties and Banquets

With picturesque location on the Hawk Trail at Shelburne Falls is known to people from all states and has gained a well deserved reputation for "Good Food Carefully Prepared and Served Right."

Alice Brown's Sweetheart Tea House is a distinctive place to dine and has an atmosphere of comfort and relaxation and serves at all times the finest and choicest of dishes.

In the way of appointments, service and food this Tea House has become the outstanding eating place in this section of the state. Many make this place their headquarters and acclaim it in all respects to be the finest. A common expression heard in these parts is "Dine with me at Alice Brown's Sweetheart Tea House."

The popularity of Alice Brown's Sweetheart Tea House, established since 1916 is not confined to these parts alone but rather extends

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"Everything in Hardware" means a large supply of builders, home and farm hardware and specialties for which the Clark Hardware Co., is noted. They follow all the latest trade journals and keep up-to-date with a stock found always to be the best in the hardware line.

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Friday, May 2, 1941

EDITORIAL**LINDBERGH**

The poor boy who became a hero because he was successful in crossing the Atlantic by air, might have been dubbed foolhardy had he failed. Since his episode, he has fed at the crib of public favor and became wealthy and heady. Now he blasts forth his questionable opinions and opines to be especially endowed with wisdom, with which many of us disagree. Now he has met his "Waterloo" and gets what's coming to him. His only applause comes from a German newspaper, which applauds his position. Charlie was given the German Iron Cross some time ago—how he must prize it.

WHAT PRICE LIBERTY?

Liberty is a very costly commodity. It always come high. And the Lord knows (even better than Congress) that taxes are grievous to be born. How they are to be paid is an honest problem in many a good man's mind. And one can sympathize with harassed legislators as they come with fear and trembling to do something definite in the matter.

Many considerations like the following will help us all in meeting manfully this tax question. It was spoken by Ernest Bevin of Great Britain: "You can easily re-create wealth. You can't re-create liberty once it's gone."

L.P.W.

**The Westminster Choir
To Produce Records**

The Westminster choir, internationally famous choral group directed by Dr. John Finley Williamson, has been signed to record exclusively on Columbia records. The choir, composed of students enrolled at the Westminster Choir college, Princeton, N. J. and at its summer school held at Northfield is considered one of the outstanding choruses in the country. Noted for its superb programs of a capella music as well as concerts with orchestral and instrumental accompaniment, the group has given concerts widely throughout the United States and Europe. Its most recent New York appearance was with Leopold Stokowski at Carnegie hall in a performance of the St. Matthew Passion. Dr. Williamson is the founder of the college and school. Columbia brings out the first album of their recordings this week.

**Defense Bonds, Stamps
Go On Sale Here**

The United States Defense Savings Bonds and Postal Savings Stamps were placed on sale in our Post Offices on Thursday, as part of the national effort to make America impregnable.

Postmasters Skilton and Quinlan are co-operating fully with the Treasury department and information in detail will soon be sent out to all our citizens.

Postmaster General Frank C. Walker says that the help of local postmasters would be "a real service to the country." He transmitted the thanks of Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau for the help that postmasters had already given in the sale of United States securities, and also his thanks in advance "for the cooperation in this new effort."

A Defense Bond may be purchased for \$18.75. In ten years, this bond will be worth \$25. This is an increase of 35% per cent, equal to an annual interest return of 2.9 per cent, compounded semi-annually. Any time after 60 days from the date of purchase

the bond may be redeemed for cash, in accordance with a table of redemption values printed on the face of the bond.

To spread investments widely among all the people in America, a limit of \$5,000 has been set on the amount of these bonds to be bought by any one person in one year. The bonds are in denominations of \$25, \$50, \$100, \$500 and \$1000, all of which are sold for 75 per cent of their maturity value and all of which mature in ten years.

For the smaller investor who wants to buy a Government Bond on an easy payment plan, the post office will have a new series of Postal Savings Stamps, at 10c, 25c, 50c, \$1, and \$5. Each purchaser of any Savings Stamp higher than 10c will be given, free of charge, an attractive pocket album in which to paste his stamps until he has enough to buy a \$25 bond or one of higher denomination.

Secretary Morgenthau said that even a boy or girl who saved 10c to buy a Savings Stamp would help the country. He added that "you can safeguard your own money and your own future, while helping the national defense, by buying United States Savings Bonds now."

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Before a price rise. We are in a position to give you a very attractive price for your present car. See and drive the NEW FORD—it is longer, wider, has more vision and is the best FORD yet. Don't delay—an order placed with us TODAY will save you money.

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To Share The Values In This Store-wide Event Celebrating Our 25th Anniversary

"Down On The Hill"

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TIME FLIES! It was a quarter of a century ago—in 1916—that we packed up our men's and boys' suits, our shirts and ties and socks, our work clothes and suspenders and luggage, took our five employees and moved "down on the hill"—into the store now occupied by our men's and dry goods departments.

Four years later we had outgrown the original floor space and expanded to our present size by the addition of a dry goods department and two complete departments for women's ready-to-wear and accessories. From outfitting men and boys ONLY, we have broadened our field until now our stocks include apparel of all kinds (except shoes) for every member of the family—from the first layette up. We can furnish luggage for your travels, sheets, linens, blankets, towels, curtains, drapes and Venetian blinds for your home. We can even do your dry cleaning. Our first force of five employees has now grown to thirty.

TIME FLIES—but the principles of fair dealing and friendly service remain the same. Only by a strict adherence to these principles, and a staunch belief in a "middle-of-the-road" policy in merchandising and by gearing our operations to conform to the changing times are we now able to celebrate our SILVER ANNIVERSARY.

SALE IS NOW ON AND CONTINUES THROUGH MAY 10

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EXCEPTIONALLY LOW AND ATTRACTIVE
IN ALL OUR DEPARTMENTS**

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TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THIS SALE

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"TOBACCO ROAD"			
Chas. Grapewin - Gene Tierney Marjorie Rambeau - Wm. Tracy			

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Alice Faye - Don Ameche	

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